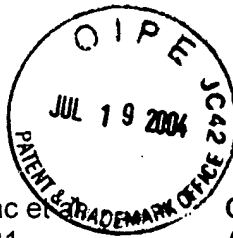


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Re: Application : Bi Le-Khac et al
Serial No : 09/760,931
Filed : January 16, 2001
For : Process For Preparing Comb-Branched Polymers
Case No. : 01-2532B
Art Unit No : 1713
Examiner : Tatyana Zalukaeva

Enclosed are the following documents related to the above-identified application:

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| (X) Return Receipt of Postcard | () Request for Reconsideration |
| (X) Certificate of Mailing | () Declaration Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.131 |
| () Preliminary Amendment | () Declaration Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.132 |
| () Assignment for Recordal | () Terminal Disclaimer 37 C.F.R. § 1.321(b) |
| () Information Disclosure Statement | () Notice of Appeal |
| Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b)(1), | () Brief (3) |
| Form PTO-1449 and non-US References | () Amendment After Allowance 37 C.F.R. § 1.312 |
| () Response to Restriction Requirement | () Issue Fee Transmittal |
| () One-Month Extension of Time Under | () Certificate Under 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b) |
| 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 (fee noted below) | (X) Amendment |
| () NOTICE OF PUBLICATION FEE DUE | |

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	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest No. Previously Paid for	Present Extra	Rate	Add'l Fee
Total Claims:	2	minus	20	:	x \$18	: 0.00
Ind. Claims:	1	minus	3	:	x \$86	: 0.00
Fee for Petition of Extension of time (1 month see below)					\$: 0.00
TOTAL FEE DUE					\$: 0.00

- (X) No additional fee is required.
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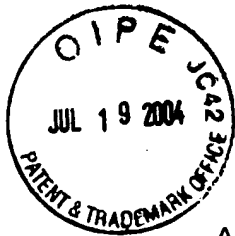
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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of April 26, 2004 and the Interview Summary of June 28, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 3 of this paper.